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A full line of rubbers of all descriptions at medium prices.
A fine line of Crawford Shoes for men, and good selection of ladies and children's shoes, lot button and lace.

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Where prices are based on quality of materials

Where a Guarantee means all that the word implies.

BREHM "THE TAILOR"

Phone early to Raymond's cafe that you will be there for Christmas dinner, Sunday, December 25. Price 35 cents.

LOST: a white bull terrier, wearing a collar with brass plate. Return to City Hotel.

LET Miller the cash grocer and confectioner supply you with green groceries. Fresh Friday and Saturday.

DONT' fail to look for Henry Kalbfleisch's ad on another page. It may interest you.

FORMER RESIDENT COMMITS SUICIDE

Mrs. John Weaver, of Hagerstown, formerly of Gettysburg, hangs herself. Body found by her daughter.

Mrs. California A. Weaver, aged 50 years, wife of John Weaver, formerly a Gettysburg jeweler, committed suicide early Wednesday morning at her home in Hagerstown, by hanging herself with a rope made out of a blanket.

A young daughter of Mrs. Weaver found the body hanging in the hallway on the first floor about 8 o'clock. Her body was still warm. It is thought she hanged herself soon after she arose from her bed.

Mrs. Weaver tied one end of the blanket rope to the banisters and at the other end she made a loop through which she slipped her head. It is thought she stood on a box or trunk, adjusted the noose and then stepped off. Her daughter cut the body down, using a pair of shears.

She summoned her father, who used every means to revive his wife. He then called a physician who used every known method to revive the woman, but was unsuccessful.

Mrs. Weaver, it is reported, on several previous occasions attempted to take her life. She had been closely watched.

Mr. Weaver some years ago had his store in the room on Chambersburg street now occupied by the Eureka Bakery. The family resided at Chambersburg and Norfolk, Virginia for some years.

Besides the husband, three daughters survive.

Funeral at 2:30 p. m. today in Chambersburg.

NEW CHESTER

New Chester, Dec. 23—The Lutheran Sunday School of the Pines church will hold their Christmas exercises on Saturday evening, Dec. 24.

Rev. W. A. Korn spent Sunday with L. T. Etchhart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. David March and son, Dale, of Biglerville, spent Sunday with Milton Wagner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Waltman and daughter, of near Gettysburg, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Waltman.

J. C. Leibelsberger spent Saturday at York.

N. R. Flemming, of York Springs, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Flemming.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cashman spent Thursday at Hanover.

William Moul and family, of near New Oxford, spent Sunday with David Cooly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shull spent Sunday with William F. Shull and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Moul spent Tuesday at the same place.

Charles Himes, of near this place, killed a hog last week that weighed 594 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Withers, of Spruce Ridge, spent Monday evening with Mrs. Chester Potteroff and family.

AT FRIENDS' GROVE

The Friends' Grove Sunday School will have their Christmas entertainment Saturday evening, December 24, at 7 o'clock. In case of bad weather it will be held on Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

BENDERSVILLE EXERCISES

Bendersville, Dec. 23—Christmas exercises will be held in the Lutheran church Saturday evening, Dec. 24, and in the Methodist church Sunday evening, Dec. 25th.

KILLED HOGS

Reichle and Crouse have killed two hogs weighing 395 and 405 pounds.

CHALMERS DETROIT & Matheson Six Automobile repairs. For repairs and adjustments by expert mechanic on the above named cars apply J. D. care Times Office.

AN entertainment will be given in the colored school this evening for the benefit of the library fund. Admission ten cents.

MILLER, the cash grocer and confectioner, sells the purest line of 10c candies in Gettysburg.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. POIST

Mrs. Philip Poist, of Near McSherrystown, Falls Dead while on her Way Home after Having Helped at Neighbor's Butchering.

After completing a hard day's work at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Keagy, where she was assisting at a butchering and was about to return to her home, Anna, wife of Philip Poist, of near McSherrystown, fell dead Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Poist had left the house and was walking out of the yard when stricken. She was in her fifty-fourth year. Her husband, seven sons and three daughters survive.

Funeral Saturday at 9 a. m. at St. Mary's Catholic church, McSherrystown, with a solemn mass of requiem. Interment in Conewago Chapel cemetery, Rev. L. Aug. Rudter officiating.

MISS ESTHER HEINERD

Miss Esther Heinerd died at her home in Hampton, Adams county, Tuesday, December 20, of pneumonia, aged seventy-three years. She is survived by one brother, Henry Heinerd and one sister, Mrs. Hersch, both of Hampton.

INFANT DEAD

George Andrew, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Wooding, of Third street, McSherrystown, died Thursday of pneumonia.

TWO

Days to Xmas

DEC. 23

Last Call For
CHRISTMAS
SHOPPING

ARCANUMITES ELECT

New Oxford Council, No. 1689, Royal Arcanum, New Oxford, elected the following officers: viz:

Past regent, E. C. Livingston; regent, Raymond M. Baugher; vice regent, Ed. T. Auken; orator, W. C. Herman; guide, James W. Smith; warden, Roy Taughinbaugh; sentry, Charles G. Miller; secretary, Dr. W. R. Snyder; collector, Charles M. Stouch; treasurer, W. Winand; chaplain, W. H. Emmert; representative, E. C. Livingston; alternate, Theodore E. Warner.

THE CLIMAX

In telling how he discovered "The Climax" the new dramatic sensation by Edward Locke, which was proclaimed "by the Metropolitan dramatic critics to be as great, if not a greater success than "The Music Master," and which will be seen here, Joseph M. Weber, the manager, recited the case of a theatrical manager friend of his, who vociferously maintained that the trouble with the American stage is a lack of good authors. At Walter's Theatre Friday, Dec. 24.

SHARPER IN FULTON

A sharper has imposed upon some of the country merchants of Fulton county to the tune of \$500 Christmas money. The fellow traveled to country stores in the county without a railroad and represented himself to be a pure food inspector. He would pick out certain goods which he declared were being sold contrary to law and agreed to settle the case for a cash consideration if no resistance was made.

WITH every pound of Kenny Blend-ed Coffee you receive a handsome plate, "The Coming of Santa Claus" at Miller's, the cash grocer and confectioner.

EAT ZIEGLER'S BREAD.

RUSH OF MAIL AT POST OFFICE

Packages and Souvenir Post Cards Swell Incoming and Outgoing Mail to Large Proportions. Monday's Office Hours.

Christmas mail in large volumes has struck the Gettysburg post office and clerks and carriers are putting in full hours handling the fourth class matter.

The rush of outgoing mail started several days ago and the incoming presents are now arriving in sufficient numbers to cause the carriers to be weighed down heavily in making their rounds. The town carriers have their packs and their hands full and the rural delivery men have their buggies just about as much loaded as they can to be able to handle the matter.

Red Cross stamps are noticed on a large number of the packages and letters. This year they are used only as seals and in this way the mail clerks are saved the annoyance of the confusion which sometimes arose on account of a misunderstanding of their value.

Christmas postal cards of which there are more varieties than ever are burdening the mails and the matter which is being handled consists principally of these and packages.

Postmaster C. William Beales has announced special service for Saturday and Sunday and the hours to be observed at the post office Christmas Monday.

POSTOFFICE HOURS FOR CHRISTMAS DAY (MONDAY)

Office will be open from 11:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon, and from 6:00 to 6:30 p. m.

City carriers will make one delivery and collection at 10:30 a. m.

Usual delivery by rural carriers.

Owing to the fact that Monday will be observed as a holiday, the office will be open until nine o'clock Saturday evening. Fourth class matter of the carriers' mail will be delivered to patrons at the office upon request on Saturday evening and also during the office hour on Sunday. Only first class carriers' mail will be delivered at the office on Monday evening.

C. Wm. Beales, postmaster.

OFFICERS ELECTED

The Gardners' United Brethren Christian Endeavor society elected the following officers for the year 1911: President, H. W. Sowers; vice president, Mrs. Maggie Lerew; recording secretary, A. W. Gardner; corresponding secretary, Miss Anna Hooper; treasurer, E. E. Hoffman; organist, H. H. Starry; Watchword agent, Miss Florence Gardner.

The Chestnut Grove Sunday School elected the following officers for the year 1911: Superintendent, H. H. Starry; assistant superintendent, J. D. Ernst; recording secretary, Miss Grace Coulson; assistant recording secretary, Edward Brough; treasurer, Abram Miller; librarians, Miss Ethel Lerew, Lester Bushey; collectors, Miss Mary Hoffman, Roy Day; librarian secretary, Miss Lillian Sowers; assistant librarian secretary, Miss Dora Prosser; organist, Miss Esther Hoffman; assistant organist, Miss Estella Prosser.

MILLER-HOMAN

At noon Wednesday F. Orville Miller, of Altoona, and Miss Elsie May Homan, daughter of James Homan, also of Altoona, and both formerly of Gettysburg, were married in Altoona. They are now visiting at the home of the groom's parents, Captain and Mrs. Charles G. Miller on York street.

TEACHERS WILL ATTEND

Many Adams County teachers are enrolling to attend the meeting of the State Educational Association in Harrisburg next week. Superintendent Roth is attending to the enrollment from this county.

WAREHOUSES TO CLOSE

The warehouses will be closed Monday.

LET Miller the cash grocer and confectioner supply you with oranges, grapes, nuts of all kinds for Xmas.

NOTICE: brooms made to order. Bring your corn. P. S. Peters, Bendersville.

SHORT PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Brief Paragraphs Telling the News of the Town and County and of Some Places Nearby. Short Items for Quick Reading.

Mrs. Frank Eberhart has returned home after a three weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas A. Faust in Newark, N. J.

The Rev. Dr. J. A. Hoffheins, of Martinsburg, West Virginia, spent Monday with Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Barkley.

Messrs. Charles, Harry and Allen Holtzworth were visitors in Chambersburg on Thursday.

Huber Miller, of Philadelphia, architect for the First National and the Gettysburg National bank buildings, is spending several days here.

Mrs. True, Miss Frances Fritchey and Joseph Fritchey have gone to Lancaster to spend the holidays.

Prof. and Mrs. Charles F. Sanders are spending the holidays with relatives and friends in Mifflinburg.

FAIRFIELD

Fairfield Dec. 23—The Lutheran Sunday school entertainment will be held this Saturday evening. The Reformed school will render their services Sunday evening.

George J. Kehil filled his ice house this week with a fine quality of ice 10 inches thick.

Our harness maker Calvin J. Seifert, is ill at this time.

THE QUALITY SHOP

The same old problem, what shall I buy my friends for Christmas?

Well a visit to our store will help you decide.

We are showing an especially fine line of

**Neckwear Muffers Bathrobes
Shirts Suspenders Sweaters
Suitcases Handbags**

Pennants Cushion Tops Banners, etc.

**A Suit of Clothes, Trousers
or Fancy Vest**

will make a very acceptable gift

Seligman & Mellhenny

First National Bank Building



**Santa Claus is Ready for You at Our Store
With a Full Line of Gifts**

Toys at 5c and 10c

Xmas Booklets 2 for 5c, 5c and 10c.
Holly Papers

Xmas Tags 20 for 5c.
Holly Boxes

Xmas Seals 50 for 5c
Tree Ornaments

Xmas Books

A fine line of triple coated white lined enameled ware at 10c

Don't miss seeing our fine line of **Ladies' Neckwear. 25c values for 10c** all put up in Xmas boxes

Don't forget the big doll we are giving away.

GETTYSBURG 5c and 10c STORE

Across street from Dougherty & Hartley's

Gettysburg, Pa

The Breath of Christmas

The magic breath of Christmas has cast a glow of beauty and color here. All our best efforts have never in previous years produced so splendid a showing of Christmas

FURNITURE

It is simply out of the question for us to say what we have. Would be easier to say what we do not have.

The richness and beauty of this display will repay you for your visit, and nowhere can you find a more delightful selection of Christmas treasures.

We also have PICTURES, the famous Copley prints, Mirrors and Sewing Machines.

H. B. Bender

The Homefurnisher

Balto. St., near Court House

GIVES AWAY \$2.50

TO THE SICK

The Widely Known Nerve Specialist, FRANKLIN MILES, M. D., LL.B., Gives His Book and \$2.50 Worth of Neuropathic Treatment Free.

Sick people whose nerves are weak or deranged, who have a weak heart, liver, stomach or kidneys; blues, headache, dizziness, drowsiness or dullness; nervous dyspepsia, irritability, cold hands and feet, backache or rheumatism; shortness of breath, palpitation, irregular heart beat or dropsy, nervousness or sleeplessness, trembling or hysteria, would do well to accept Dr. Miles' liberal offer. You may never have another such opportunity.

His Neuropathic Treatments for this class of diseases are the result of 25 years' study and immense experience and are thoroughly scientific and remarkably successful. They are so successful that we do not hesitate to offer a trial free to any sick one.

Every treatment is specially prescribed for each patient and consists of a curative elixir, tonic tablets, eliminating pills and a plaster. Years of trial have proved that his treatment is ten times as successful as that of other physicians. We often cure after 5 to 20 fail.

Mr. U. McLean, Neola, Iowa, cured after having heart trouble 12 years. Mrs. Louisa Beemer, Vestaburg, Mich., cured of heart trouble after 7 physicians failed. Mr. L. M. Simmons, Lamb, Ill., cured of kidney trouble after several physicians failed. Mrs. Joseph Wiser, Peru, Ind., writes: "Owe my life to your treatment," Our Book gives many wonderful cures.

Write the Doctor at once. Describe your disease, stating age, weight, how long sick, etc. He will send you free, a \$2.50 Neuropathic Treatment prepared especially for you, valuable advice and his new Book on "Neuropathy"—"Curing through the nerves." Address, Dr. Franklin Miles, Dept. N., 365 to 375 Main St., Elkhart, Ind.

PUBLIC SALE

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7, 1911

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale at his residence in Menallen township, Adams county, Pa., known as the Tim Day farm 2½ miles north of Bendersville, on the road leading from Mt. Tabor to Cline's church, the following personal property viz: bay Horse rising 3 years old well built and good style and good size, good worker every prospect for a first class horse, 3 cows, one a young cow will be fresh by day of sale, the other two to be fresh in May, both number one cows for milk and butter, 4 hogs, weighing from 125 to 150 lbs., one sow will farrow in March, a Berkshire boar well bred. Farming implements consisting of a 2 horse wagon and bed, 1 platform spring wagon in good condition, capacity two tons. Walter A. Wood mower, horse rake, good as new, new walking double corn worker, Krause make, Spangler corn planter, good as new, 1 or 2 horse bob sled and bed suitable for millers or hucksters, 2 spring harrows, one a 16 tooth Perry harrow, 1 spike harrow, 2 long plows, 1 an Oliver Chilled 40 No. X, with jointer and wheel complete only used one season, Hamburg plow, 2 single corn plows, shovel plow, new corn sheller can be run by hand or power, double feed does first-class work, new bag truck, set hay carriages, set of manure boards, 2 sets front gears, set of brass mounted express harness, 2 blind bridles, 2 flynets, good set of check lines plow and double lines, 2 good leather halters, good harness collar, collars and hames, housings and hitching straps, single and double trees, jockey sticks, middle rings, log and tie chains, bits, breast, cow and halter chains, good spreader, good buggy or spring wagon pole and yoke, new grain cradle scythe and snead, grain shovel, pitch and manure forks, crow bar, cross cut saw, cutting box, wheel barrow, bushel baskets, ½ bushel measure, lot of potato crates, lot grain bags, 1000 bundles corn fodder, 200 bushels corn 10½ acres of growing wheat, template stove, lawn mower, churn and buck, morris chair, lot of old iron and many articles not herein mentioned. Sale to be given at 1 o'clock sharp, when terms and conditions will be made known by H. W. HOFFMAN, Agt. Ira Taylor, auct.

C. S. Rice and T. F. Day, clerks.

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Why pay more for dyeing and cleaning when you can have just as good work done for less money at R. H. BUSHMAN'S

14 Chambersburg St.

Also at the same place am prepared to make plain or rim buttons on short notice.

Putting Him on His Mettle.

"The doctor says you have but an hour to live."

"Give me pen and paper," said the dying man feebly.

"To make your will?"

"No; I am going to give the doctor my note for thirty days. He will have to keep me alive at least that long to collect it."—Judge.

Helps Trade.

"Do you believe in love at first sight?"

"Sure. It boosts my business."

"How so?"

"I'm a divorce court lawyer."—Detroit Free Press.

The world is all gates, all opportunities, strings of tension waiting to be struck.—Emerson.

VOCAL TRAINING ABROAD.

The Handicap American Music Students Face in Paris.

"The American voice is better handled at home than abroad," is the conclusion that years of experience have led Mr. Savage to reach, "for here it is better understood than it is there. Vocal training acquired, Europe offers the advantage of generations of tradition and an opportunity to crystallize individual ideas of interpretation. Here the singer has his courses of technology; there he finds the Beaux Arts for polishing.

"One thing that must be keenly felt by Americans studying in Paris and who for years have spent their money and time there is the chauvinistic attitude of the French toward American singers.

"There are, it seems, 3,000 American music students in Paris. You can count on three fingers those in that number who will ever really arrive! In many cases their people are staying at home to meet constant demands for more money. Yet those students have no more chance of a Paris engagement than an icicle in regions ultra tropical.

"At the Paris Conservatoire, a most excellent institution, they bind native pupils on conclusion of study for years of appearances at French opera houses. In Paris there are the Grand Opera, the Opera Comique and the Lyrique, all signing them for engagements. From these they are in turn subtlet to such outlying theaters as those of Bordeaux, Lyons and elsewhere in the provinces. The French do not want the money to go out of the country.

"And still the cry is: 'Go to Paris to study! Go to Paris to study!'—William Armstrong in Ainslee's.

When the Press Was Restricted.
Many of the restrictions that hampered the influence of the press remained in force until the close of the eighteenth century in England. It was not till that period that newspapers obtained the right to criticize the poli-

cies of ministers and of the king. Mr. Waiter, the first editor of the London Times, was prosecuted for censoring the Duke of York. He was sentenced to pay a fine of \$250, stand in the pillory for an hour, be imprisoned for a year and give security for his good behavior for seven years. The order with regard to the pillory was canceled, but he had to serve his term in jail.

Same Thing.

Mr. Simpson was reading the newspaper. "Here's a Chicago man got into a drunken brawl and was stabbed to death," he said aloud.

His wife glanced up from her knitting and commented, "In some low saloon, I suppose."

"No. The paper says he got stabbed in the thoracic cavity."

"Same thing. You'd think the police would close such a place up!"—National Monthly.

Unfit.

Cadger—Old Highroller has just been telling us about a time when he was shipwrecked and all the survivors but he were eaten by cannibals. Badger—Why didn't they eat him? Cadger—I don't know exactly, but I suspect there was a pure food commission on the island.—Lippincott's.

Perplexed.

"Your daughter's brain, madam, appears to be normal."

"Dear, dear, we've never had anything of that kind in the family before, I'm sure!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Our generosity should never exceed our abilities.—Cicero.

An Inference.

"That man doesn't own an auto and has no chance of ever buying one."

"What makes you say that?"

"It's easy to tell. Didn't you see how heartily he laughed when he saw his friend's auto stalled in the mud?"—Detroit Free Press.

1911 SPRING SALE DATES

JANUARY

Township

Auctioneer

Date Name Township Auctioneer

5 Dr. C. E. Goldsboro Straban Thompson

21 Daniel Cromer, Agt. Oxford Thompson

21 George Mumert Bendersville Slaybaugh

Straban Thompson

Oxford Thompson

Bendersville Slaybaugh

Franklin Thompson

Cumberland Thompson

Lyons Thompson

Straban Thompson

Mt. Pleasant Thompson

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All sizes. Low prices.

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Eaton Crane writing paper. Lowney's Candies in boxes and baskets, 60c to \$5.00. Calendars, Booklets, Calendar Pads, Seals, Tags and Holly and Pointsetta Envelopes for you gifts.

S. J. Bumbaugh, Centre Square.

Call and Examine Our Complete Stock of Oranges

Can supply Teachers and Sunday Schools with any size they desire.

We have a fine assortment of fresh candies to select from. Have you tried our home roasted coffee?

We offer a line of Queens-
ware and Christmas decorations at reduced prices which will interest any one in need of goods of this kind.



We are ever mindful of our patrons who have to drive to town. Our hitching lot is at your disposal.

People's Cash Store



SPECIAL SALE For This Week Only

OF

Highgrade Pipes, Cigar Smokers and Smokers' Furnishings

I have the greatest variety of high grade cigars and tobacco ever displayed in Gettysburg. Mixtures that will please the most skeptical smokers

I have bought more high grade briar pipes than the season demanded and will sell them at prices that will surprise you. Come and look them over

W. H. Kalbfleisch
53 Chambersburg St.

A Merry Christmas

Can be obtained by using the following as

Christmas Gifts

Shoes	Rubber Boots	Felt Boot
	Rubber Shoes	
Caps	Mufflers	Toques Juliets

C. B. KITZMILLER.

THE CURSE OF GOLD

By CARL SARGENT CHASE

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I am an old woman, and it is strange to look back and consider what I was when I was young and how absolutely passed away is that world in which I then lived. A stranger matter is that I passed out of it when it still existed. I was considered dead.

I am a Russian by birth and when I was growing up to womanhood imbibed the ideas of a band that were then called nihilists. They have since become revolutionists in Russia, but in other countries the most desperate wing of the sect are anarchists. I was then too young to discriminate between the different beliefs; but, having always been very poor, I readily fell in with those who believed the poor suffer a great injustice on the part of the rich and that the wealth of the world should be divided up among the poor. With this object in view governments which protect the rich should be destroyed.

I had not been a nihilist long before I was ordered to assassinate the minister of the interior. A member of the circle to which I belonged was a friend of and trusted by the minister. This friend was to secure me a position as nurse in the victim's family and I was to poison him.

A few days after I received the order a letter came from America, where an uncle of mine had gone when a boy, stating that he had died and left me a large fortune. What a wonderful change the announcement made in me! Far from thinking that I should divide with the poor, I thought that my fortune should be my own.

How I left Russia secretly, how I reached America and was put in possession of my fortune I will not give here. No one but myself knew of my inheritance till after it had been paid me. But I was sure that it would serve to identify me and that some one would be sent to inflict upon me a sentence of death for not having carried out the edict of the society.

I converted my fortune—it amounted to \$100,000—into gold. I could get no interest on gold, but I did not dare to purchase securities, for my name must appear on them. Even if I put my money in a savings bank, taking a book in lieu of a receipt, I could not get it back without signing my name.

And now began the most dreadful period of my life, dreadful in this—I must spend money to live besides money to go from place to place, for I dared not remain in one location. I was therefore obliged to draw on my capital. Besides this, I must take care of and move my gold, which was very heavy. I was in constant dread not only of robbery, but that while traveling my gold would be lost. I had a very strong ironbound trunk made, padded inside, and in this I put my gold in little bags, each bag containing a thousand dollars. This trunk I never lost sight of and was continually troubled about it. Sometimes the strangeness of my position would occur to me. I had believed that the poor should take away the possessions of the rich, and here was I, rich, continually on the rack about my possessions. Miserable as I had been in poverty, I sometimes envied my former lot. This money that had seemed so desirable to me, what comfort was I getting out of it? Carting around a trunk that I was constantly afraid I would lose or would betray me was certainly no pleasure.

Ten years of this kind of life passed, during which on several occasions I met my own countrymen who I knew were nihilists. Finally I met a Russian friend who had no affiliation with the nihilists. She agreed to write to those I had left behind that she had seen me in a hospital, where I was lying at the point of death, and that I had died there. She afterward told me that her story was believed and I would soon be forgotten both by those who loved me and those who had condemned me.

I saw now a new life before me. I took another name and invested my money, of which I had \$85,000 left. But I lived an exile's life and did not make friends. My money could not give me happiness. I tried to interest myself in banks, but I had not been educated, and I took no interest in them. Time hung heavy on my hands.

One day I went past a factory. Working girls were coming out, and none of them had the unhappy face that I had. I thought of the day when I, too, was a working girl and realized that, after all, I was happier then than I was now. If I could only occupied the days would not seem so long to me.

The next day I went to the factory where I had seen the girls and asked for a position without pay till I could learn the work to be done. My offer was accepted, and I went to work the next morning.

I worked for five years, then married a fellow laborer. Since my marriage my occupation has been caring for my home and my children. The cursed gold left me by my uncle is accumulating. No one living but myself knows of it. I don't know what to do with it. Labor alone keeps us contented. I do not wish my children to receive a cent of my fortune.

It has been a curse to me, and I dread lest it be a curse to them. I would not object to their receiving it when they become old enough to know something of how it may be made a benefit.

IN A ROMAN CAB.

A Party of Disgusted Americans and an Overgrateful Driver.

In Mr. Howells' "Roman Holidays and Others" is this delightful story of an adventure in a Roman cab:

In returning from the Pincio the only cab we had been able to get was the last left of the very worst cabs in Rome, and we had bidden the driver wait for us at the church steps, not without some hope that he would play us false. But there he was, true to his word, with such disciplined fidelity as that of the Roman sentinels who used to die at their posts, and we mounted to ours with the muted prayer that we at least might reach home alive.

This did not seem probable when the driver whipped up his horse. It appeared to have aged and sickened while we were in the church, although we had thought it looked as bad as could be before, and it lurched alarmingly from side to side, recovering itself with a plunge of its heavy head away from the side in which its body was sinking.

The driver swayed on his box, having fallen equally decrepit, in spite of the restoratives he seemed to have applied for his years and infirmities. His clothes had put on some such effect of extreme decay as those of Rip Van Winkle in the third act; there was danger that he would fall on top of his falling horse and that their raiment would mingle in one scandalous ruin.

Via Sistina had never been so full of people before; never before had it been so long to that point where we were to turn out of it into the friendly obscurity of the little cross street which would bring us to our hotel. We could not consent to arrive in that form; we made the driver stop, and we got out and began overpaying him to release us.

But the more generously we overpaid him the more nobly he insisted upon serving us to our door.

At last, by such a lavish expenditure as ought richly to provide for the few remaining years of himself and his horse, we prevailed with him to let us go and reached our hotel glad, almost proud, to arrive on foot.

TOUCHY SERVANTS.

Japanese Nesans Have to Be Handled
With Gloves of Velvet.

Japanese servants must be treated with tact, however trying they may be, and often they are very trying indeed, especially the nesans, who are usually untidy, cross and lazy. Yet the dear little things have admirers who praise their kittenish ways, their tiny hands and even, of all things, their artistic temperaments.

A certain writer solemnly says: "A Japanese nesan—an nesan, even one in a hotel—will set out your hairbrushes, clothesbrushes, nail scissors, collar box and tooth powder on the average hotel dressing table and make a design of them—a picture, an artistic whole." All I can say is that no nesan has ever arranged studies of still life with the nail scissors and the tooth powder for me, though, possibly by way of compensation, one has started little lakes of boiling water on my carpet when I rang for you, or toppled over the morning tea tray and arranged the fragments in an unconventional design on my bed quilt, or dragged a table with scrapings in a minor key the whole length of the veranda.

If corrected roughly the maiden will first cry and then rave. The hotel manager is well aware of this—aware with all the nervous perception of a person whom one hasty or ill considered sentence can throw into a situation seriously threatening his comfort and prosperity; hence his attitude of habitual meekness. He dares not let his little lecture slide over the line which divides it from a scolding and is careful to deliver a necessary exhortation with a smiling face and frequent laughs just to show that it is really not a scolding at all.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Couldn't Kill Him.

"Spotted fever" received some queer treatment in John Wesley's day, according to Wesley's journal of September, 1746. A man named John Trembach had the fever, and Wesley wrote: "It was the second relapse into the spotted fever, in the height of which they gave him sack, cold milk and apples, plums, as much as he could swallow. I can see no way to account for his recovery but that he had not yet finished his work."

Abraham Could Read and Write.

Some people persist in thinking that the art of writing is recent and that in primitive times poems and literary productions had to be memorized. But more than 3,000 years before the Christian era people in Abraham's native town wrote receipts for garden and market products just as we have them now, showing that the patriarchs certainly must have known how to read and write.—Dr. William Hanna Thompson in Designer.

Not Interested.

You really ought to take up the study of reincarnation," said the young woman of great mentality.

"Not I," answered Mr. Dustin Stax. "These investigations are giving me all the trouble concerning my past that I can handle at present"—Washington Star.

Getting an Education.

"Has your son learned much since he went to college?" asked the new minister.

"Naw," replied Farmer Oateake, "but Ihev, by hen!"—Chicago News.

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FREIGHTS COME TOGETHER

Passenger Train Crashes Into Debris and One Passenger is Injured—Engines Crews Scalded.

New Brunswick, N. J., Dec. 23.—One freight train going east on the main line of the Pennsylvania railroad, just west of Millstone Junction, ran into the rear end of another east-bound freight train. The wreckage covered all four tracks.

Passenger train No. 101, the owl sleeping car train from New York to Philadelphia, came along shortly after. Before it could be flagged the passenger train dashed into the wreckage and the entire train was derailed.

Frank Knox, the fireman of the passenger train, was instantly killed in the smashup. John Lowenberg, engineer of the freight train which ran into the rear of the other, was badly scalded, and was taken to the Wells Memorial hospital in New Brunswick, where he died. Mrs. Dora Ravola, of Philadelphia, was the only passenger hurt. She too, was removed to the hospital, where she gave birth to a child. Mrs. Ravola's condition is precarious, as she was badly bruised and had internal injuries, besides suffering much from shock.

John Minnehan, the flagman of the first freight, was found dead in the ruins of the caboose. Prosecutor Theodore B. Boorman and Coroner John V. Hubbard, who investigated the wreck, were inclined to think this indicated that the man had failed to go back to set his signal to guard the train, which was standing still at the time of the crash. The crash of the freights occurred directly under a signal bridge and wrecked it.

After the two injured persons had been taken to the hospital and trainmen and men passengers were doing their best to quiet the frightened women who had been thrown from the berths when the passenger train left the tracks, it was discovered that the flagman of the front freight could not be found. Wreckers discovered the body later.

Soon after the collisions wrecking crews arrived from Jersey City and

14 DEAD IN PHILA. FIRE

34 Others Were Injured by Falling Walls.

RESCUERS AMONG VICTIMS

Sudden Collapse of Building Buried Firemen and Policemen In Burning Ruins—Many Acts of Heroism.

Philadelphia, Dec. 23.—The worst disaster in the history of the Philadelphia fire department occurred during a fire at 1114-16-18 North Bodine street, when falling walls killed thirteen firemen and one policeman, and injured thirty-four others, several fatally. The property loss is estimated at \$25,000.

The dead are: Morris, Gillis, a policeman, and the following firemen: John F. Carroll, James Collins, Harry Bertolet, William Bihmire, Charles Edelman, Thomas Entwistle, J. Frederick Kalber, George Matchinsky, William McConnell, Samuel Parks, Robert Stewart, Thomas Pass, Gus Wittick.

The fire destroyed the fire-story factory of the Friedlander Leather Remnants company, and is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

While the firemen were fighting the blaze the roof and walls fell in without a moment's warning. Heavy beams tumbled upon them, weighty fragments of metal from wrecked machinery hurried through the smoke, felling the fleeing men, burying many in a living tomb, grinding out the lives of others in an instant. Some were drowned in the water-filled cellar.

Brave though they were, the fire fighters cried aloud as they sought safety in flight. Some were on the verge of escape when the big pieces of wreckage crushed them among the debris when their hopes were strongest.

Policemen and firemen worked all night in the ice-covered ruins in the faint hope of rescuing any of their comrades who might still be alive under the mass of bricks and iron girders that had fallen upon them.

Rescuers Themselves Victims.

More than half of the identified dead were in a rescue party which was buried beneath the debris when the north wall, the last of the building to remain standing, crashed down upon them.

In addition to the injured fire fighters a host of spectators were injured by the falling walls and several are in hospitals in a critical condition.

The Friedlander factory was a five-story building on the west side of Bodine street and ran west, the rear extending to the east side of Third street.

The rear part of the structure was only as high as the two-story houses that adjoined that part of the factory on each side. The building had been burned out and the fire confined within its walls when the disaster occurred.

Collapse of First Wall.

Chief Baxter was on the roof of a two-story house on the north and was directing his men for the final fight.

Water tower truck No. 7 had a ladder against the front wall in Bodine street playing a great stream of water into the flames. Just inside the building at Bodine street were firemen, who were also throwing water on the ruins.

Suddenly, without warning, the Bodine street wall collapsed and fell inward, burying all the men who were within the building and carrying down the big ladder of truck No. 7, on which there were half a dozen men. Four of these are among the dead.

The cries of those caught beneath the ruins spurred their brothers to renewed action without a thought of danger to themselves.

Policeman Rescues Caught.

No sooner had they climbed over the smoking ruins than there was a warning shout from a nearby roof, and in the next moment part of the north wall came down.

This spread entirely across the ruins and caught not only the firemen, but also a number of policemen, who had plunged into the thick of the rescue work.

In the second crash Chief Baxter, a veteran, and who is about to be retired on full pay for his great work in the department, narrowly missed instant death. Planking was knocked from under him by the falling wall and he was lost in the thick smoke and steam.

Few men who saw him disappear thought he would come out alive, but as the smoke cleared his big form was seen climbing over the ruins, unscathed.

Baxter gave orders for more help and 300 policemen were brought to the scene. There was a rush of firemen and policemen to enter the now piled up ruins, but Baxter at first sent in a selected few firemen with warning to beware of the south wall.

This wall held while the men set to work, and more eager workers were sent into the mass. There were cries for help in every direction.

Some of the injured were able to extricate themselves. Others were pulled out by a leg, and some men could be seen but they could not be reached.

A Book Farmer.

Knicker-Jones is what they call a book farmer. Book-Yes; he has used up two check books already.—New York Sun.

of brick less than a foot above his head, and with his legs pinioned to the pavement.

He held talks with firemen and policemen, who strained every effort to reach the machinery which held him a prisoner.

Brother firemen were able to crawl beneath the debris and provide him with stimulants. A huge tarpaulin was spread about his body to protect him from water thrown upon the ruins.

He was finally taken out after being buried fourteen hours and rushed to a hospital. He may not recover.

TOWN THREATENED BY FIRE

Lack of Water Hampered Firefighters at Hagerstown, Md.

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 23.—This town was threatened for a time with a serious conflagration when a fire wrecked the Franklin hotel, a four-story brick structure, spread to the Fohrney building, a two-story brick building, wrecking it, and then gutted the four-story brick structure known as the McConnell building. The loss is estimated at \$200,000. A lack of water handicapped the firemen.

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The fire started in the Franklin hotel, on Potomac street, in the business section of the city. The guests were forced to flee for their lives in their night clothes, and several of them barely escaped being caught by the flames. George W. Riley while leaving the hotel fell and broke his leg.

In a few minutes' time the fire had spread to the Fohrney building, erected only three months ago, south of the hotel. Before the fire had completely wrecked the Fohrney building it had spread to the McConnell building. This gave the firemen three buildings on fire, and though they fought strenuously the Knob building, to the north of the hotel, also caught fire.

FLIES TWICE OVER ENGLISH CHANNEL

Cecil Grace's Spectacular Trip to Win \$20,000 Prize.

Dover, Eng., Dec. 23.—Cecil Grace, competing for the De Forrest prize, flew over the English channel from Dover in a thick fog and was reported as having landed near Deal, Eng., on his return trip after flying as far as the Belgian frontier.

There he met adverse winds and turned back without descending and later arrived at the aviation ground, Les Barques, to the west of Calais.

Baron De Forrest has offered a prize of \$20,000 for the longest flight, including the crossing of the English channel, made in 1910, by an Englishman, in an English built machine.

Several aviators had been awaiting favorable opportunity to compete for the trophy. Sopwith has already set a mark of 190 miles. Last Sunday he left East Church, Sheppen Island, crossed from Dover to Calais and descended at Beaumont, Belgium.

Claude Grahame-White, who won the international aviation cup at Belmont Park, planned to try for the prize on the same day, but in a trout spin he met with an accident which wrecked his machine. He had a narrow escape from serious injury.

Findings this a vain effort, they obeyed again the direction of Assistant Marshal Seylerich, and redoubled their efforts to shut in the spreading area of flame.

The fire was first discovered by a watchman in the Morris & Co. beefhouse, at Forty-third and Loomis streets. An ammonia pipe, bursting,

started spontaneous combustion that spread so quickly the watchman barely had turned in the firm alarm before the flames began bursting from the building.

Fire Marshal Horan, at his home on the West Side, heard the second call for fire apparatus, and hurried to the stock yards in his automobile.

By the time of his arrival his assistants, who had reached the scene earlier, had abandoned the effort to save the beefhouse and were endeavoring to head off the rush of fire toward other buildings. Flames were billowing out of several structures nearby when the marshal arrived, and the inferno was blistering the hands and faces of the pipemen and ladder men, who were sticking to their positions under the encouragement of commanders, who themselves were burned and blistered.

The shelter of the awning, which later became the destroyer of a score of lives, was sought by firemen, led by Horan, Burroughs and Fitzgerald.

On top of the canopy another group of firemen still played streams of water. Suddenly Lieutenant Joseph Mackey, leader of the brave band there, felt the wall going and shouted a warning to those beneath. He jumped with his crew and escaped death, but the men below the canopy were walled in by the collapsing bricks.

HUNTS DUCKS IN AIRSHIP

Hubert Latham Driving His Machine Shoots Several Birds.

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 23.—Hubert Latham, the French aviator, went duck hunting at the Bolsa Chico club in a monoplane.

Latham circled over the feeding grounds of the wild fowl, driving his machine at a high rate of speed and frightening the birds into the air in flocks of thousands.

With a double-barreled shotgun, he fired ten times at the ducks, killing a few and crippling others. Latham pursued the birds out to sea, following them for three miles.

After half an hour of hunting Latham landed at the clubhouse. A group of guests of the gun club stood on a knoll overlooking the shooting grounds and watched the shooting.

TAKING BODIES HOME

Woman Starts For Germany With Remains of Her Relatives.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 23.—Miss Alma Schmidt, aged fifty years, after forty-nine years' residence in America, has started for Germany by way of New York, accompanied by the bodies of all her relatives who have died in this country.

The bodies were those of her father, buried twenty-eight years ago; her mother, buried twenty-four years; her brother, buried twenty-two years, and her sister, who died last spring.

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Newark, O., Lynch Given 20 Years.

Newark, O., Dec. 23.—Twenty years in the penitentiary was the sentence passed upon Montella Watha, who was convicted of manslaughter on Dec. 17, on a charge of having taken part in the lynching of Carl Etherington, a "dry" detective, last July. A motion for a new trial was overruled.

College Returns \$40,000 to Widow.

Washington, Pa., Dec. 23.—An endowment of \$40,000 has been refused by Washington and Jefferson college because the widow and six children of the donor need the money. It is believed the testator overestimated the value of his estate.

29 KILLED IN CHICAGO FIRE

Chief Horan Among Victims in Packing District Blaze.

AMMONIA PIPE BURSTS

Caught Under Tons of Red-Hot Bricks

Fire Fighters Were Crushed or Roasted to Death—Property Loss \$1,250,000.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Fire Marshal James Horan and twenty-eight firemen were killed in a fire which caused \$1,250,000 damage to the warehouses and stock of Morris & Co., packers, and for hours threatened the whole stock yards district.

The injured will number more than fifty, listing being difficult because they were rushed in ambulances and private automobiles to hospitals and homes in many sections of the city.

The buildings totally destroyed included the beefhouse of Morris & Co., with loss to building and stock of \$500,000; warehouse No. 6, loss to building and stock \$550,000; refrigerator storage shed, \$50,000.

An overhanging wooden canopy fell from the beefhouse of Morris & Co., where the fire started, carrying with it tons of red-hot bricks and debris upon two companies of firemen and their chief, crushing them to death and encasing their bodies in a veritable furnace, into which their comrades were unable to dig for several hours. Nearly all those who were not killed outright when the walls fell were roasted to death before help could reach them.

Assistant Chief William Burroughs and Lieutenant Fitzgerald were with the marshal under the canopy when it fell, receiving specific orders for directing the fight against the ever-spreading flames in other quarters, and they went down to their death with Marshal Horan.

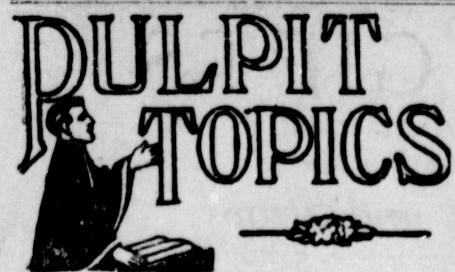
Other firemen, witnesses of the fate of their chief, deserted for a brief time other parts of the blazing structure and sought with their bare hands to drag apart the glowing bricks and debris which covered the body of their chief and his companions.

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Fire



REFORMED

On account of Christmas being on Sunday, the customary services at six o'clock will be omitted, and held at 10:30 a.m., with the addition of a short sermon. The Christmas Sunday School service will be held in the evening at 7 o'clock. The Sunday School Christmas service at St. Mark's will be held on Saturday evening beginning at 7 o'clock.

CATHOLIC

High mass 6 a.m., followed by low mass; high mass 10; vespers and benediction 7. Sermon at 6 and 10 in the morning. Mass daily during the week at 7:30 a.m.

UNITED BRETHREN

The services on Sabbath morning will be thirty minutes earlier than usual. Sabbath School 9 o'clock and Christmas sermon 10 o'clock. It is to be a prompt, earnest, cheery service with familiar Christmas hymns and dismissal at 11 o'clock. Christmas sermon at Salem in the evening.

EPISCOPAL

First service at 12 o'clock midnight; other services 10:30 and 6:30. Christmas tree on Wednesday evening.

METHODIST

Christmas services on Saturday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:30 Sunday morning; Epworth League at 6:15 Sunday evening; and preaching at 7:00, Subject of sermon "A Christless World". A welcome to all services. L. Dow Ott, pastor.

ASBURY M. E.

Services will be observed as usual in Asbury M. E. church Sunday at 11 a.m. The pastor will preach on the subject, "The Wisdom of the Wise Men;" in the evening on "The Magician and the Palace." Visitors welcome. W. A. English.

C. B. Hoffman will furnish dressed chickens on short notice.

DID YOU see the Free sewing machine at Chas. S. Mumper's.

BONNEAUVILLE

Bonneauville Dec. 23—E. L. Golden, accompanied by Jacob Weaver made a business trip to Gettysburg on Tuesday.

Basil Little, of Midway, and friend spent Tuesday evening with the Misses Golden.

Peter Gethart, Luther Swope and John Staub spent Monday evening in Littlestown.

John Orndorff has purchased a new sleigh also John Staub.

Christmas services will be held at St. Joseph's Church Christmas morning: first mass at six o'clock a high mass, second mass at seven, last mass at 9 o'clock.

Peter Gebhart, of Emmitsburg, has returned home to spend some time with his father, Christian Gebhart.

John Orndorff made a flying trip to Gettysburg on Wednesday.

Mrs. Cleveland Hartlaub and Mrs. John Miller were shopping in Gettysburg Tuesday.

Claude Stock, teacher at Sweet Home school had his patrons out for a good time sleighing visiting the following schools: White Hall, Felty's, Valley Vernon. Mr. Sharrets took his school out last week.

Miss Rosie Keiser spent Sunday with Misses Theresa and Annie Golden.

Miss Ella Rider spent Saturday and Sunday in Littlestown.

Clayton Musser spent Tuesday evening with Edward McGuigan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hartlaub and daughter, Kathleen and son, John, spent Sunday evening with Cleveland Hartlaub and wife.

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LATIMORE

Latimore, Dec. 23—John W. Lerew, of Lock Haven State Normal School, is spending a two weeks vacation with his mother, Mrs. Maggie Lerew, of this place.

Miss Sadie Brough, of New Oxford, is spending a couple weeks with her parents, Peter Brough and wife.

Jere Trostle, a student at Shippensburg Cumberland Valley State Normal School returned home on Thursday to spend his Christmas vacation with his parents, G. O. Trostle and wife.

Charles Sheaffer, of near this place, who has been ill for some time was taken to the Harrisburg hospital on Monday.

Our local huckster, J. W. Snyder took about forty-five dressed turkeys to the Harrisburg market on Thursday.

J. W. Snyder and family spent Sunday with J. D. Ernst and family.

William Hoffman and wife were the guests of Edgar Trostle and wife on Sunday.

Mrs. E. I. Bushey made a short call on Mrs. C. M. Lerew Tuesday noon.

BUCHANAN VALLEY

Buchanan Valley, Dec. 23—Simon Wolff of Clearfield, with his wife are visiting relatives in Buchanan Valley.

Joseph Strasbaugh, of Altoona, is home for Christmas.

There will be mass at 5, 6 and 10 o'clock on Christmas morning in St. Ignatius' church, Rev. Father Scanlon will officiate.

Misses Mary and Emma Hall are employed at the State Sanatorium, Mt. Alto.

A. W. Cole is hauling ice from the dam at the Narrows.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Irvin spent a day in Chambersburg last week; also Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Brady.

Cold and snow and scarcity of water, still continue in the Valley.

We will have a "white Christmas" this year, and can look for a "green Easter."

The roads are quite icy, impossible to travel with horses that are not rough shod.

THE Free sewing machine is sold by Chas. S. Mumper.

EAST BERLIN

East Berlin, Dec. 23—On account of many shareholders and directors opposing the underwriting of a \$50,000 capital for the People's State Bank it was decided to capitalize the new institution at \$30,000 and the stock book was closed. The directors will meet on January 5 to elect a cashier and receive reports from the various committees.

The small daughter of J. C. Baker of near Hall, while carrying a bucket of hot water fell on the icy walk and severely scalded one of her lower limbs below the knee.

E. H. Bentz, of Mt. Top, slaughtered a very fine porker last week that weighed 595 pounds.

KRALLTOWN

Kralltown, Dec. 23—Evangelic Communion service will be held at Red Mount on Christmas morning. Presiding Elder Shortess, of Carlisle, is expected to be present.

J. C. Baker, who had an attack of rheumatism last week, has again returned to work at Leymoine.

Jere Kimmel attended the funeral of his sister at Hagerstown, Md., last week.

D. E. Myers harvested 11 inch ice Monday and Tuesday.

The following were the guests of Wilson Myers and family Monday, Jere Kimmel, wife and daughters, Helen and Ruth, Mrs. M. R. Dearborn and Ervin Baum, of Red Mount.

H. H. Spahr called on F. W. Hoopes one day last week.

Joseph Reaser and wife, of Dover, spent last week with their daughter, Mrs. F. W. Hoopes and family.

Herman Myers, of Lancaster County, and C. B. Myers, of East Berlin, were visitors in this vicinity last week.

Looks like good indications for a white Christmas.

THE time—from 7 a.m. to 12 night. The place—Raymond's Cafe. The food—always good. Ask the Girl—she'll be glad to come.

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Not That Kind of Woman.

"Do you believe in making a genuflection before you enter your pew?" asked Mrs. Oldcastle.

"Mercy, no!" replied her hostess as she shook a bit of dust from the \$2,000 grand piano. "If I have genuflections to make about people I always do it outside of church."—Chicago Record-Herald.

ADAMS' Argood Chocolates at Guehler's Drug Store.

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WOMEN IN PORTUGAL.

Dig in the Fields and Do Laboring Work in the Cities.

A good part of the farm work is performed by the women, who see no reason why they should regard digging, hoeing and plowing as the work of men alone. The man who owns a few acres of land will often leave its cultivation to his wife and daughters, while he labors as carpenter, stone-mason or cooper, for caskmaking is one of their important industries. He also likes to get a job as a waiter in one of the numerous hotels at seaside resorts, for the country has thousands of continental and English visitors.

Women share in the heavy work of the cities as well. There are female porters, laborers on the docks, market tenders and even women coal heavers, fishermen, or, rather, fisherwomen, and sailors. They are as strong and hardy as their husbands and brothers and seem to stand long hours and hard labor as well.

Of course it rather takes away the glamour of romance when one sees a young woman with finely chiseled features and beautiful black eyes digging with spade and mattock or heaving a basket of coal into ship's hold with as much ease as the American girl plays tennis and golf. Women seem happy under what we would consider hard conditions, so the reformer would probably have his labor for his pains if he suggested a change in this department of Portuguese national existence.—Christian Herald.

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The Rivals

By ESTHER VANDEVEER
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John Andrews and Tom Hutchins were bosom friends till they both fancied the same girl. Before either of them had met Lucy Boughton they were inseparable. Usually the trouble with girls in such cases is that they won't show a preference. Lucy showed a preference for both the friends. One day she would be very sweet to Andrews, the next to Hutchins. There is nothing like uncertainty to sharpen love, and nothing will break up a friendship either between two men or two women than a rivalry for the affections of the same person. So John and Tom first began to show a coolness, then to scowl at each other when they met, and finally they were ready to take each other's heart's blood.

One evening John went to see Lucy and remained with her till 11 o'clock. When he went away, though he had not proposed to her, he considered the matter settled between them. He was unable to support a wife, and this was the reason why he had said nothing about marriage. He intended to see her again soon, confess that he loved her and ask her if she would wait till he could better his affairs.

The very next afternoon he received a shock. Walking along a road, Tom and Lucy passed him in a buggy. Tom scowled at him, but Lucy smiled very sweetly. What did it mean? Was the girl deceiving him? He brooded over the matter, and instead of going to her for information he endeavored to get it from Tom. The next day, meeting Tom, he said:

"Have a pleasant ride yesterday?"

"Yes; very."

"Anything between you and Lucy?"

"What's that to you?"

"A good deal. I'm about to come to an understanding with her."

"I don't know but I'll come to an understanding with her myself. Jack," said Tom, suddenly changing his tone, "let's go into the wood there where no one will see us and have it out. If you make me cry 'muff' I'll leave the field to you. If you make me cry 'muff' I take a back seat and let you do the driving."

"Agreed!"

The two young men penetrated a wood nearby, Tom leading the way, till they reached an open space, where he stopped, and they took off their coats and squared up against each other. John drew first blood from his chum's nose, and Tom drew second blood from his chum's hip. Then they both clinched, and Tom very nearly gouged out John's eye. John at the same time biting off a piece of Tom's ear. They fell, John on top.

"Got enough?" he asked.

"No."

Five minutes later Tom got John off and under.

"Got enough?" he asked.

"No."

They couldn't very well kill each other without any weapons except their fists, but they tired each other out. John succeeded in throwing off Tom, but he hadn't the strength to follow up the advantage. Tom lay still—he could neither renew the combat nor

Ten minutes later Tom sat up.

"John," he said, "I got an idea."

John gave a responsive grunt.

"I'm thinking the girl had better decide with us."

"And I'm thinking you'd better have thought of that before instead of proposing to come here and have it out."

"Let's get up and go home."

"I'm willing."

They got up and dragged themselves away. They were about to climb a fence to cross a field when they saw the object of their quarrel in the center of the inclosure. A bull was behind her, and she had evidently arrested his attention. Presently he began to trot toward her.

"You've said you're about to fix it up with her," said John. "You better run for her before the bull gores her."

"I thought you were counting on her. I wouldn't stand in your way for the world."

Meanwhile the bull was galloping behind the unconscious girl. Death did not stare her in the face, but in the back. Without interference the bull would surely kill her.

Suddenly a man with a pitchfork jumped over the fence on the opposite side of the field, ran for the bull and turned him against himself. With a few jabs the man put the bull to flight. Lucy had turned, and when the bull left she fell into the man's arms.

Here was a common enemy to unite the rivals. With one accord they got over the fence and hobbled toward Lucy. They were so intent upon seeing her in another's arms they forgot that they were covered with dirt and blood. Disabled as they were, it required some time for them to reach their objective point, and when they did Lucy had disengaged herself and when she saw them had so far recovered from her fright as to burst out laughing.

"Howdy, boys?" said the man who had saved her life. "Been fighting?"

"Yes!" John admitted sullenly.

"Reckon it's been about Lucy. I've heard about you two. But you needn't trouble yourselves; she's mine."

The rivals looked at Lucy.

"Sorry I hadn't told you before," she said. "It would have saved your clothes."

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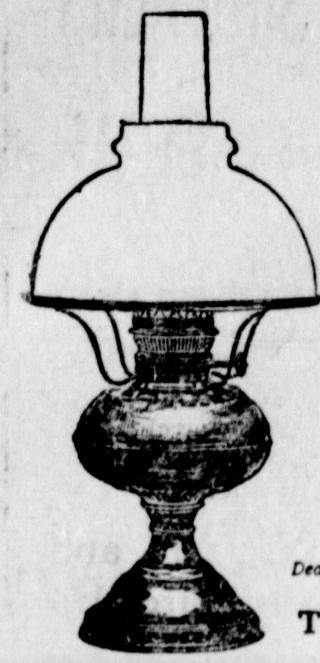
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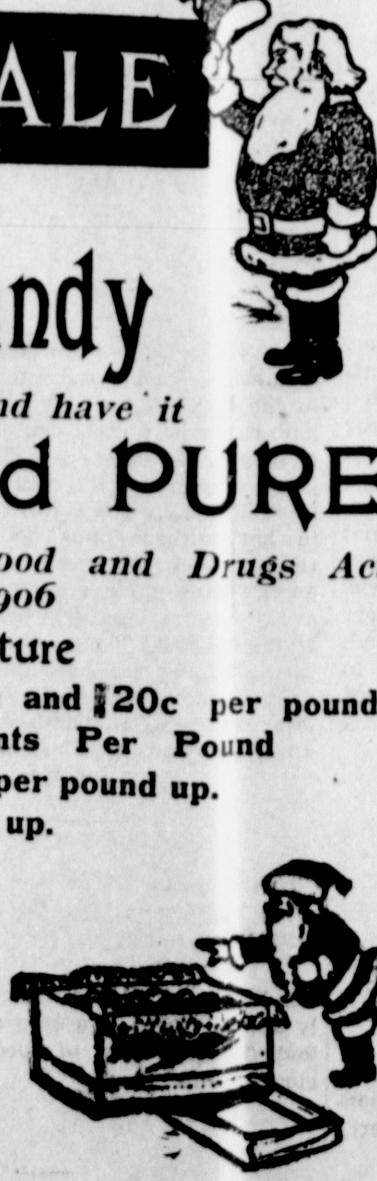
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*THE mistletoe hung in the castle hall.
The holly branch shone on the old oak wall.
And the baron's retainers were blithe and gay
And keeping their Christmas holiday.
The baron beheld with a father's pride
His beautiful child, young Lovell's bride.
While she with her bright eyes seemed to be
The star of the goodly company.*



HERE TARRY A MOMENT—I'LL HIDE, I'LL HIDE!

*"I'm weary of dancing now," she cried.
"Here tarry moment—I'll hide, I'll hide!
And, Lovell, be sure thou're first to trace
The clew to my secret lurking place."
Away she ran, and her friends began
Each tower to search and each nook to scan.
And young Lovell cried: "Oh, where dost thou hide?
I'm lonesome without thee, my own dear bride."*



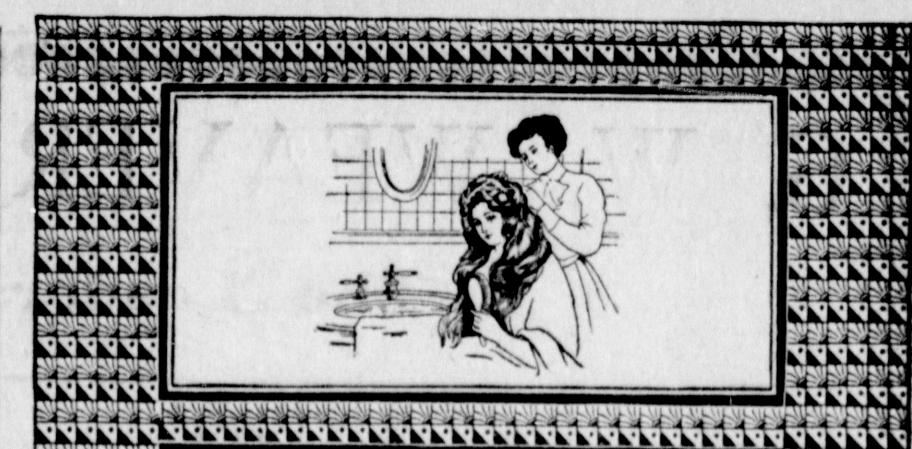
SEE! THE OLD MAN WEEPS FOR HIS FAIRY BRIDE.

*They sought her that night, and they sought her next day.
And they sought her in vain when a week passed away.
In the highest, the lowest, the loneliest spot
Young Lovell sought wildly, but found her not.
And years flew by, and their grief at last
Was told as a sorrowful tale long past.
And when Lovell appeared the children cried:
"See! The old man weeps for his fairy bride."*



THE BRIDE LAY CLASPED IN HER LIVING TOMB!

*At length an oak chest that had long lain hid
Was found in the castle. They raised the lid,
And a skeleton form lay moldering there
In the bridal wreath of that lady fair.
Oh, sad was her fate! In sportive jest
She hid from her lord in the old oak chest.
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Barny Barnato before the tragic termination of his career was widely known because of his large fortune won in mining ventures. His rapid accumulation of wealth was popularly attributed to luck, but luck of the persistent variety usually rests upon a more solid basis than mere chance. An insight to Barnato's methods is afforded by an incident recently related by A. A. Blow, an American engineer once in Barnato's employ. After an exhaustive examination of a mine whose purchase was under consideration Blow prepared an elaborate and voluminous report. It was accompanied by maps and selections and was a piece of work of which the engineer felt that he could be justly proud. When it was handed to Barnato to read, however, the latter laid it aside unopened.

"Tell me about it," he said.
Blow proceeded to make an oral report.

Barnato dozed. Finally he exclaimed:

"I employed you because I think you know something about this business, and I do not. Now, I do not want to hear all of this scientific rot 'about this mine. All I want you to tell me is whether it is good business?"

Blow told him "No."
"Then that settles it," said Barnato.
"You are willing to accept the responsibility of turning down this property at the price offered?"

"Yes," was Blow's reply, "but I want you to examine the reports, maps, assays, plans, etc., and see the reasons I have for my conclusions."

"Why should I do this?" Barnato inquired. "You tell me that it is not good business." And as I cannot understand your report why should I waste my time on anything that is not good business?"—Moody's Magazine.

In the enthusiasm of the very wholesome and commendable "back to the land" movement which is just now receiving a good deal of attention it may be in point to suggest that a large measure of success will hardly be achieved in a tillage of the soil or in horticultural lines by those who through lack of brains, initiative or energy have made a dismal failure of every other business enterprise in which they have embarked. The returns from agricultural and allied pursuits are generous, but only in proportion to intelligent, persistent and well directed effort. The realm of agriculture is no place for weaklings or incompetents.

In the matter of acres of land under ditch Idaho is said to be in the lead, with California a close second.

A little sewing machine oil judiciously applied will put a stop to that prolonged squeaking of bedroom and closed doors.

Not For Him.

"No," said the theatrical manager who had gone to look at a fine place on the seashore, "I wouldn't take it at any price. It's beautiful, I admit, all you represented it to be, but I never could be happy here."

"Why not?" asked the real estate agent. "You'll never have a chance to get another such bargain. Look at the splendid beach! Breathe in the pure air. Everything is perfect."

"From your standpoint, yes. But that lighthouse just across the bay would interfere with my enjoyment. I never could look at it without sadly remembering other light houses."—Chicago Record Herald.

Cowpeas Profitable.

Cowpeas are a very profitable crop for dairy cows and pigs. They are so hardy against drought and mature so quickly that there are very few crops that compete with these legumes for soiling purposes. Cowpeas should be better appreciated by farmers of the southwest.—Farm and Ranch.

Made the Rhyme.

"Carpet" rhymes with no single word, but some bold poet dared to evade the difficulty thus:

"Sweet maid of the inn, 'tis surely no sin to toast such a beautiful carpet; believe me, my dear, your feet would appear at home on a nobleman's carpet."—London Answers.